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For: Compositions and Methods Involving Respiratory Syncytial Virus Subgroup B Strain

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

This response is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed 14 September 2007 for the above-identified application.

PETITION

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed 14 September 2007. The fee for this extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 500479. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required for submission of this response to Deposit Account No. 500479.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this response.

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